

Dear Sen. Winfield, Rep. Stafstrom, Sen. Kissel, Rep. Fishbein & Judiciary Members,

Please **OPPOSE** Senate Bill 16 AN ACT ADDRESSING GUN VIOLENCE AND JUVENILE CRIME

These so called 2022 "assault weapons" are in very common use. Even by citizens that are disabled and utilize stabilizing braces to overcome their life obstacles. Now, this committee will vote to expand the definition of so called 2022 "assault weapons".

Article First, Sec. 15: *Every citizen has a right to bear arms in defense of himself and the state.*

I hope the voters of this state remember the actions of legislators in November.

In addition, please **OPPOSE** H.B. No. 5416 - AN ACT CONCERNING BULK PURCHASES OF PISTOLS AND REVOLVERS.

I also ask that you **SUPPORT** Raised S.B. No. 388 - AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFENSE OF A PERSON OR A PERSON'S DWELLING, PLACE OF WORK OR MOTOR VEHICLE.

SUPPORT Raised H.B. No. 5415 - AN ACT CONCERNING THE TRANSFER OF ASSAULT WEAPONS AND LARGE CAPACITY MAGAZINES.

SUPPORT Raised H.B. No. 5412 - AN ACT CONCERNING THE DUTY TO RETREAT IN A RELIGIOUS HOUSE OF WORSHIP.

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